

# Announcements

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## □ Homework for tomorrow...

Ch. 29: Probs. 26, 29, & 60

CQ8: a)  $V_1 = V_2$

b)  $Q_1 > Q_2$

c)  $E_1 < E_2$

29.14: a)  $E = 0 \text{ V/m}$

b)  $E = -200 \text{ V/m}$

29.18:  $L = 0.048 \text{ m}$

29.38: a)  $E = 5 \text{ V/m}$

b)  $E = -10 \text{ V/m}$

c)  $E = 5 \text{ V/m}$

## □ Office hours...

MW 10-11 am

TR 9-10 am

F 12-1 pm

## □ Tutorial Learning Center (TLC) hours:

MTWR 8-6 pm

F 8-11 am, 2-5 pm

Su 1-5 pm

# Review...

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- ▣ *Capacitors in parallel...*

$$C_{eq} = C_1 + C_2 + \dots$$

- ▣ *Capacitors in series...*

$$\frac{1}{C_{eq}} = \frac{1}{C_1} + \frac{1}{C_2} + \dots$$

- ▣ *Capacitance...*

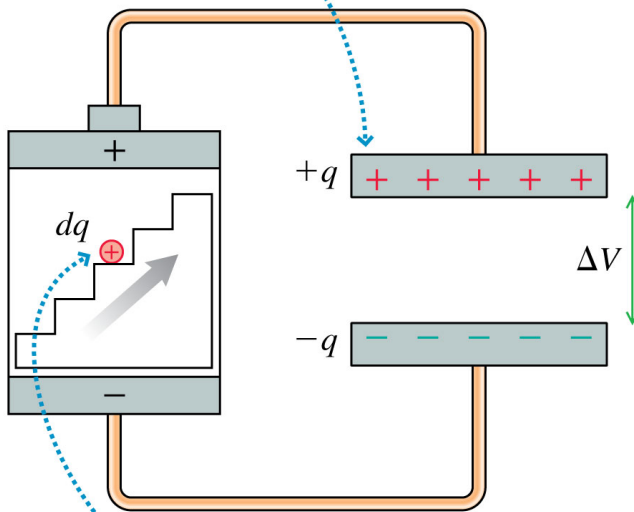
$$C \equiv \frac{Q}{\Delta V_C}$$

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$$C = \frac{Q}{\Delta V_c} \quad \therefore Q = C \Delta V_c$$

$$U_c = \frac{1}{2C} C^2 \Delta V^2 = \frac{1}{2} C \Delta V^2$$

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Initially :  $q = 0, U = 0$

Finally :  $q = Q, U = U_c$

During "charging up" of a capacitor, the potential difference across the capacitor is ....

$$C = \frac{Q}{\Delta V} \quad \therefore \Delta V = \frac{Q}{C}$$

"Lifting" the charge  $dq$ , through a potential difference  $\Delta V$ , increases the potential energy

$$dU = dq \Delta V$$

Total energy transferred from the battery to the capacitor is .....

$$\int_0^{U_c} dU = \int_0^Q dq \Delta V = \int_0^Q \frac{Q}{C} dq$$

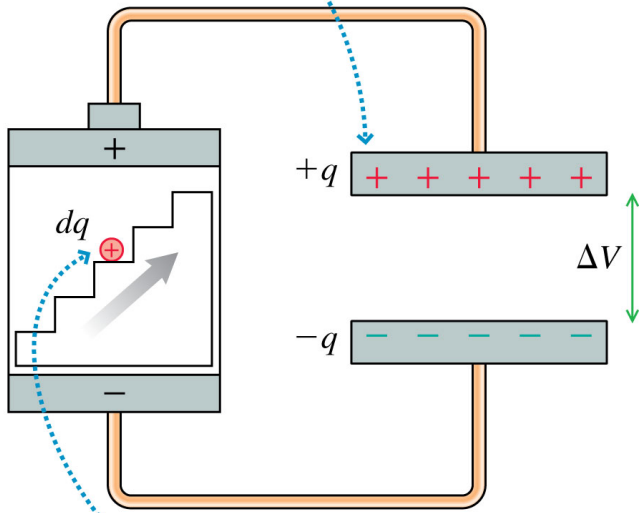
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Parallel Plate Capacitor

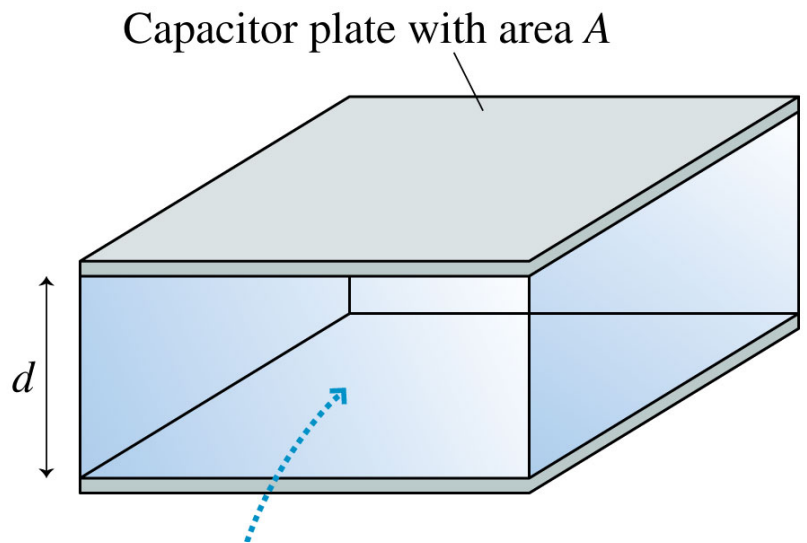
$$C = \frac{\epsilon_0 A}{d}$$

$$\Delta V_c = Ed$$

$$\begin{aligned} U_c &= \frac{1}{2} \left( \frac{\epsilon_0 A}{d} \right) (Ed)^2 \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \epsilon_0 A d E^2 \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \epsilon_0 V E^2 \end{aligned}$$

$$u_E = \frac{U_c}{Ad} = \frac{1}{2} \epsilon_0 E^2$$

$$U = \frac{1}{2} \epsilon_0 E^2$$



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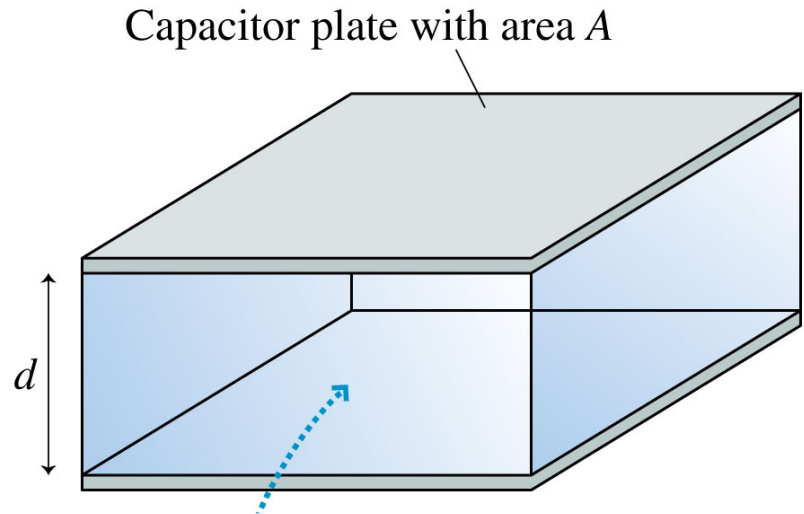
□ A: In the  $E$ -field!

$$u_E = \frac{1}{2} \epsilon_0 E^2$$

energy stored

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volume in which it is stored



When the capacitor is discharged, the energy is released as the  $E$ -field *collapses*.

## Quiz Question 1

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A capacitor charged to 1.5 V stores 2.0 mJ of energy. If the capacitor is charged to 3.0 V, it will store

1. 1.0 mJ.
2. 2.0 mJ.
3. 4.0 mJ.
4. 6.0 mJ.
- ⑤. 8.0 mJ.

## Quiz Question 2

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Consider a simple parallel-plate capacitor whose plates are given equal and opposite charges and are separated by a distance  $d$ . Suppose the plates are pulled apart until they are separated by a distance  $D > d$ . The electrostatic energy stored in the capacitor is

- ① greater than
- 2. the same as
- 3. smaller than

before the plates were pulled apart.



# Chapter 30

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## Current & Resistance *(The Electron Current)*

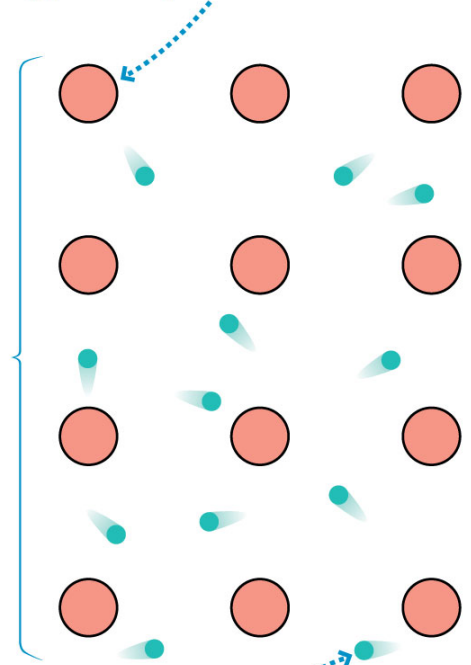
# 30.1: The Electron Current

## Charge carriers..

- the charges that move in a conductor.
- are *electrons* in metals.
  - the outer electrons become detached from their parent nuclei to form a *sea of electrons* that can move through the solid.

Ions (the metal atoms minus valence electrons) occupy fixed positions in the lattice.

The metal as a whole is electrically neutral.



The conduction electrons are free to move around. They are bound to the solid as a whole, not to any particular atom.

# The Electron Current

Define electron current,  $i_e$  ..

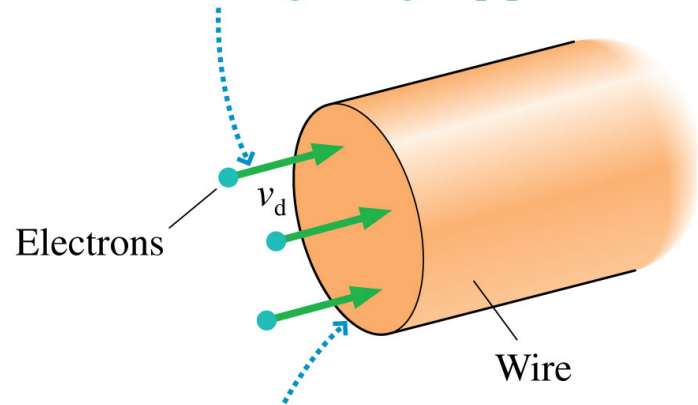
- # of electrons/second that pass through the cross-section of the conductor.
- The number  $N_e$  of electrons that pass through the cross-section during the time interval  $\Delta t$  is

$$N_e = i_e \Delta t$$

$$i_e = \frac{N_e}{\Delta t} \quad i_e = S^{-1}$$

$$N_e = i_e \Delta t$$

The sea of electrons flows through a wire at the drift speed  $v_d$ , much like a fluid flowing through a pipe.



The electron current  $i_e$  is the number of electrons passing through this cross section of the wire per second.

# The Electron Current

The electron current,  $i_e$ , in terms of the *drift velocity*,  $v_d$ , & the *number density*,  $n_e$ , is...

number density,  $n_e$  . . . . .  

$$n_e = \frac{N_e}{V} \quad n_e = 10^{28} \text{ m}^{-3}$$

$$N_e = n_e V$$

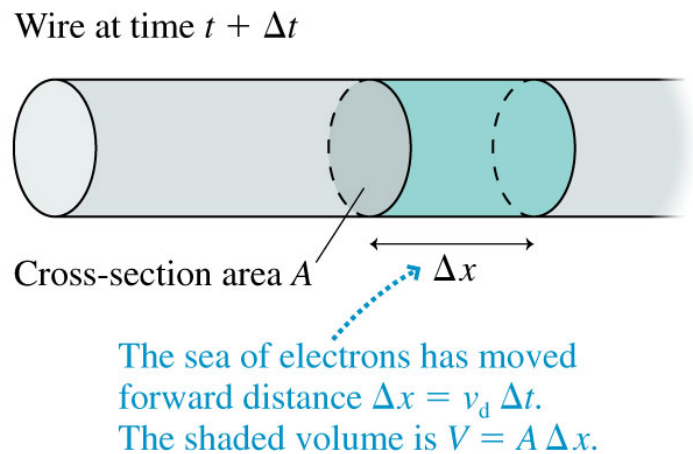
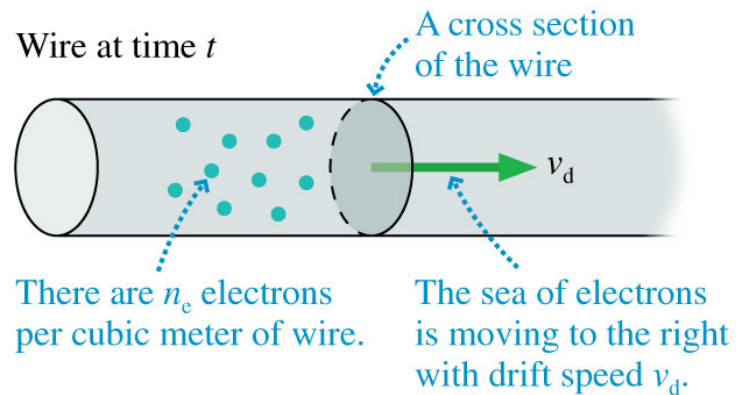
$$V = A \Delta x$$

$$\therefore \Delta x = v_d \Delta t$$

$v_d$  = Drift speed

$$N_e = n_e A v_d \Delta t = i_e \Delta t$$

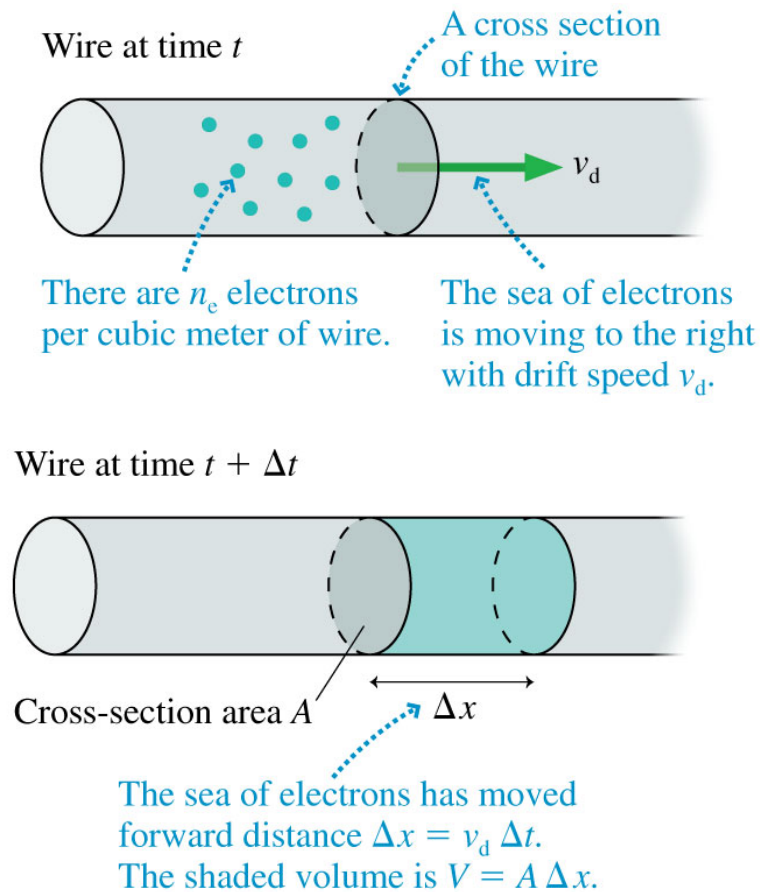
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## Quiz Question 1

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The electron drift speed,  $v_d$ , in a typical current-carrying wire is

- ① Extremely slow ( $\sim 10^{-4}$  m/s).
- 2. Moderate ( $\sim 1$  m/s).
- 3. Very fast ( $\sim 10^4$  m/s).

## Quiz Question 2

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A wire carries a current. If both the wire diameter and the electron drift speed are *doubled*, the electron current increases by a factor of

1. 2.
2. 4.
3. 6.
4. 8.
5. Some other value.

i.e. 30.1:

## The size of the electron current

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What is the electron current in a 2.0 mm diameter copper wire if the electron drift speed is  $1.0 \times 10^{-4} \text{ m/s}$ ?

*Given:*  $n_e = 8.5 \times 10^{28} \text{ m}^{-3}$  for copper.